

Maryland

At a session of Assembly begun and held at the
Town and port of Annapolis in Annapuridell County the first day
of May 1705 and in the fourth Year of Her Majestys Queens
of Great Brittain

Were enacted the Laws following



An Act for the Relief of Annapuridell County
And all persons concerned in the Records thereof lately
burnt

An Act made in 1719
declares it to have been
in full force
continued in 1723 without
limitation of time

Whereas the Records of Annapuridell County being lodged in
One of the upper rooms of the public Court house at Annapolis upon the eighth
day of October Seventeen hundred and four were burnt with the said
house to the great loss and detriment of the Inhabitants of the said County
And all other persons concerned in the said Judgments and Records
of and belonging therunto.

For the redress and relief whereof it is humbly prayed that it may
be enacted and so it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with
the Advice and consent of Her Majestys Governour Council and Assembly of this
Province and the authority of the same that it shall and may be lawful
to the Excellency her Majestys Governour of this Province for the time
being by commission under the great Seal of this Province to nominate
appoint and commissionate seven or more discreet and sober persons
of good fame any three or more of them from time to time to hear and
determine all differences claimed and Demanded whatsoever between any
Inhabitants or other persons interested in the Lands lying within the County of
Annapuridell within the said County as they or any three or more of them
shall think fit from time to time with or without any adjournment
Solemnly and without the formalities and proceedings in Courts of Law
or Equity either upon the verdict or inquisition of a Jury of Freeholders

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